## 110TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION

## H. R. 6205

To amend title 37, United States Code, to require the payment of monthly special pay for members of the uniformed services whose service on active duty is extended by a stop-loss order or similar mechanism.

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

June 5, 2008

Ms. Sutton (for herself, Mr. Michaud, Mr. Kagen, Mr. Arcuri, Mr. Hare, Mr. McGovern, Mr. Conyers, Ms. Schakowsky, Ms. Jackson-Lee of Texas, Mr. Braley of Iowa, Mr. Langevin, Mr. Hastings of Florida, Ms. Shea-Porter, Mr. Perlmutter, Ms. Richardson, Ms. Moore of Wisconsin, Ms. Hirono, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Hinchey, Ms. Woolsey, and Mr. Yarmuth) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Armed Services

## A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

1	SECTION 1. MONTHLY SPECIAL PAY FOR MEMBERS OF THE
2	UNIFORMED SERVICES WHOSE SERVICE ON
3	ACTIVE DUTY IS EXTENDED BY A STOP-LOSS
4	ORDER OR SIMILAR MECHANISM.
5	(a) Pay Required.—
6	(1) IN GENERAL.—Subchapter I of chapter 5 of
7	title 37, United States Code, is amended by adding
8	at the end the following new section:
9	"§ 330a. Special pay: members of the uniformed serv-
10	ices whose service on active duty is ex-
11	tended by a stop-loss order or similar
12	mechanism
13	"(a) Special Pay.—A member of the uniformed
14	services entitled to basic pay whose enlistment or period
15	of obligated service is extended, or whose eligibility for re-
16	tirement is suspended, pursuant to the exercise of an au-
17	thority referred to in subsection (b) is entitled while on
18	active duty during the period of such extension or suspen-
19	sion to special pay in the amount specified in subsection
20	(e).
21	"(b) AUTHORITIES.—An authority referred to in this
22	section is an authority for the extension of an enlistment
23	or period of obligated service, or for suspension of eligi-
24	bility for retirement, of a member of the uniformed serv-
25	ices under a provision of law as follows:
26	"(1) Section 123 of title 10.

1	"(2) Section 12305 of title 10.
2	"(3) Any other provision of law (commonly re-
3	ferred to as a 'stop-loss authority') authorizing the
4	President to extend an enlistment or period of obli-
5	gated service, or suspend an eligibility for retire-
6	ment, of a member of the uniformed services in time
7	of war or of national emergency declared by Con-
8	gress or the President.
9	"(c) Monthly Amount.—The amount of special pay
10	specified in this subsection is \$1,500 per month.
11	"(d) Construction With Other Pays.—Special
12	pay payable under this section is in addition to any other
13	pay payable to members of the uniformed services by
14	law.".
15	(2) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of sec-
16	tions at the beginning of chapter 5 of such title is
17	amended by inserting after the item relating to sec-
18	tion 330 the following new item:
	"2200 Chariel new members of the uniformed services whose service on active

"330a. Special pay: members of the uniformed services whose service on active duty is extended by a stop-loss order or similar mechanism.".

(b) Effective Date.—The amendments made bysubsection (a) shall take effect as of October 1, 2001.

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